

AMENDMENT TO THE CHAIRMAN'S MARK
OFFERED BY MR. RYAN

[Tier One - Final]

[Amendment #6]

[Prevent government-controlled health care.]

This amendment would prevent a federal takeover of health care by prohibiting any legislation receiving funds from the Health Care Reform Reserve Fund from expanding entitlements, creating government-controlled health insurance plans, imposing mandates or taxes on businesses, reducing private sector insurance coverage, reducing the number of private sector jobs, and/or using comparative effectiveness data to limit patient choice and restrict medical professionals from providing and/or prescribing the care they believe to be medically necessary.

Amend the Chairman's Mark:

At the end of section Title III, add the following subsections:

1 Section 318. PREVENT GOVERNMENT-CONTROLLED
2 HEALTH CARE.—The Chairman of the Committee on the
3 Budget of the House of Representatives shall not adjust
4 the aggregates or allocations as authorized by this section

1 if the health care measure referred to in the reserve fund
2 set forth in section 301 includes provisions that would——

3 (1) add private sector mandates or taxes on
4 small businesses;

5 (2) reduce private sector insurance coverage;

6 (3) reduce the number of private sector jobs;

7 (4) expand entitlements; or

8 (5) uses comparative effectiveness data to limit
9 patient choice and restrict medical professionals
10 from providing and/or prescribing the care they be-
11 lieve to be medically necessary.

12 Section 319. CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE
13 ANALYSIS.—For purposes of determining whether a meas-
14 ure complies with section 318 of this resolution, the Con-
15 gressional Budget Office shall include in the estimate of
16 the measure referred to in this section an analysis con-
17 sistent with paragraph (1), (2) and (3) of that section.

